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Summary of complaints to the Constable Ethics, Standards and Training Board (CESTB) Fiscal Year 2023 Status Report 9/30/22

For the fiscal year period July 1, 2022 through September 30, 2022 a total of eighteen (18) complaints were filed with the CESTB against constables for a variety of allegations. One (1) complaint was withdrawn by the complainant, four (4) complaints were dismissed by the Board and one (1) case was closed due to the constable leaving office prior to completion of investigation. The remaining cases are pending as of the date of this report.

Complaints may be dismissed for a variety of reasons including but not limited to the following:

- 1. The complaint as submitted does not meet jurisdiction requirements per R13-14-201 of the AZ Administrative Code
 - a. the complaint is about an issue that occurred more than 4 years prior
 - b. the complaint is not against a constable currently in office
 - the complaint does not address any situation related to the performance of a constable's duties
- 2. The complaint has already been addressed by CESTB
- 3. Evidence was insufficient to show a constable failed to comply fully with A.R.S. § 22-131 or R13- 14-103